

Campus Bulletin

The bi-weekly newsletter of the Indiana School for the Deaf

Senior Corey Stapp and TEAM ISD make history

Run, Walk...or Crawl?

by Amanda Mueller

A
vacation
is having
nothing
to do
but all
day to
do it in.

(Robert Orben)

On May 1st Senior Corey Stapp will make history by becoming the first ISD student to participate in the Indianapolis Mini-Marathon! The Mini-Marathon is an annual run/walk that draws over 20,000 participants to complete its 13.1-mile course. The race starts and ends in downtown Indianapolis and courses through the Indianapolis Motor Speedway track.

Corey is a member of a larger group called TEAM ISD. All TEAM ISD members have committed to complete the

run/walk (crawl?) come rain or shine. Members of the team include:

Brian Collins

(Interpreter)

Mike Jackson

(Elementary
Computer Lab
Instructor)

Lindsey Kirch (Ball
State Participant)

Kris Kohlman

(Interpreting
Services)

Gretchen Krug

(Elementary
Teacher)

Mandy Mueller (Interpreter)

Brenda Nicodemus (Interpreter)

Corey Stapp (ISD Student
Extraordinaire)



Cory Stapp, ISD Class of '98

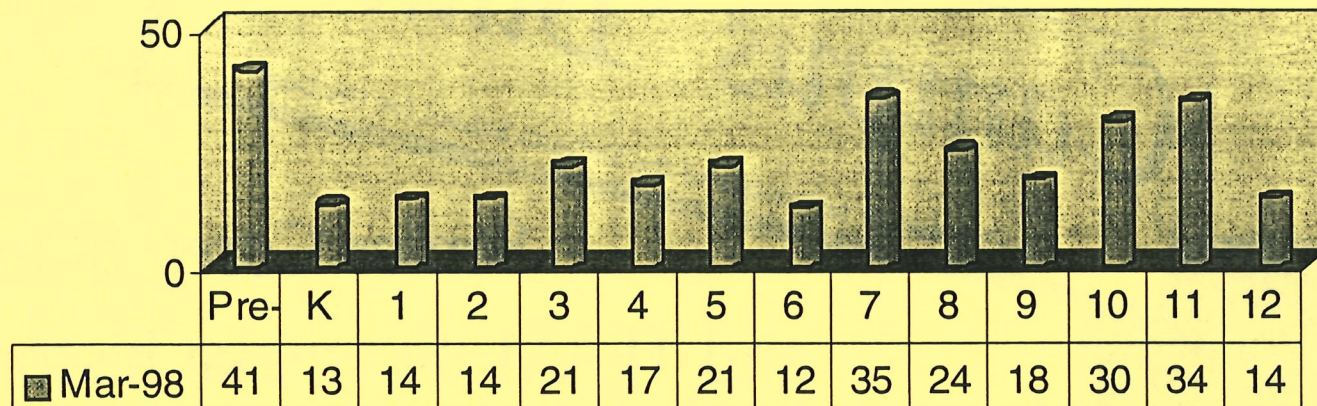
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YOU can be a part of TEAM ISD without wearing out the tread in your own shoes!! TEAM ISD plans to make the Mini a fundraiser for ISD. In April, team members will be canvassing the school to ask for modest

See "Run, Walk, or Crawl," page 3

Enrollment: March 1998
Total Enrollment: 308 students



Calling for volunteers

by Linda Canty

Work on the damaged floor in the main library will begin in three or four weeks. Linda Canty, Librarian, needs volunteers to assist with packing and moving books. Please let her know if you are able and willing to help and the dates and times you are available. It will be very much appreciated.

Last year, the Middle School and High School students participated in the Quick Picks project sponsored by American Association of School Libraries through the efforts of Renee Vaillacourt, former librarian at the Carmel Public Library. They, along with students from several selected schools, read over 1,000 new

books sent free by different publishers and answered the questionnaires provided. The most popular titles were listed in the brochures that were sent to all school libraries and public libraries for possible purchases. Even though the project terminated last spring, the students continue to request those books. Please extend your congratulations to the students for their hard work. The brochures have been given to the students and their teachers. The rest of the brochures are yours for the asking.

Once again, please be reminded that the main library has four PC computers available

for Internet access. Everyone is welcome to use them. However, teachers will need to sign up ahead for their classes to use them for research projects. Linda Canty will be happy to assist teachers if they need training. Two more PC computers are now on order and two more will be ordered next year with Indianapolis Foundation grant monies to accommodate a class of eight.

The library's serial holdings are now on the WWW page. Go to: <http://hinet.palni.edu>

Follow the link to Journal Sharing Project and then go to ISD.

Look who's been to workshops the last three weeks

by Mary Alice Moon

School Improvement Planning

Jim Frenchik

ICGSA Conference

Dan Fitzpatrick
Kim Van Zuilen

PATINS

Cami Cass

Young Audience Workshop

Debbie Fetzer
Jeff King

Science Proficiency Guides

Teresa Huckleberry
Gretchen Krug
Dan Fitzpatrick
Loretta Hammell

Critical Thinking Skills

Mary Kovatch
Early Intervention
Louise Fitzpatrick
Diana Battiste
Vera Masters
Joan Bippus

Functional Behavior

Mike McGeath
Linda Lloyd
Kathleen Robertson

Six Thinking Hats

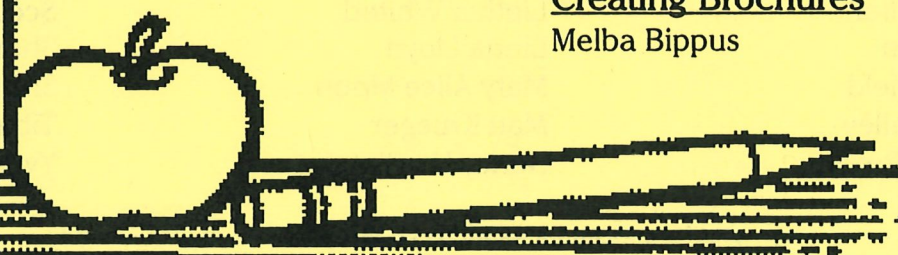
Sandy Hakes

Breaking the Cycle

Cathy Pardee

Creating Brochures

Melba Bippus



Run, Walk, or Crawl (from page 1)

(or immodest!) donations to support the runners/walkers. The donations will be split between Education and Student Life for future student programming.

TEAM ISD would appreciate your support...monetary/emotional...or both! Cheer them on as they sweat for ISD on May 1st!

See you next time!

by Jim Frenchik

The next issue of the *Campus Bulletin* will be distributed on Friday, April 17. Please submit any items, articles, gripes, ads, or kudos to Jim Frenchik in the Alumni Building, room 223, by Tuesday, April 14.

Success of 10th Anniversary Deaf President Now Celebration and Student Leadership training at ISD on February 25 & 26, 1998

by Katie Breedlove & Bruce Peter

Greg Hlibok's Leadership Training for Middle School and High School officers and representatives on Wednesday, February 25th was very successful.

Gregory shared a secret recipe for a successful leader that parallels baking a cake. The successful recipe for a leader includes Compassion, Listening skills, Trust, Confidence, Persistence, Attitude, Recognizing everyone, Communication, Deeds, and Followers. No leader will be successful for a long time without all of these ingredients.

Many thanks to the volunteers who set up everything for the training. We would also like to thank the PTCO for contributing the money for pizzas, and Student Life Bar for the soft drinks from the snack bar. Thanks also to the Education Team for providing the beautifully decorated cakes. We couldn't believe that icing could make photos on cakes! Many thanks to the volunteers for making this event possible. We have sent a memo to all volunteers thanking them. If we have overlooked anyone, please see us. Thank you.

Volunteer of the Leadership Training was Scott Smith.

Volunteer of the DPN event was Loretta Hammel.

Beatrice Pfaff
Bethann Wright
Bob Canty
Bob Strasen
Dan Stutler
Dave Morphey
David Geeslin
Debbie Fetzer
Donna Stutler
Edna Olsen
Eric Mansfield
George Stailey
Jackie McBroom

Jeff Choate
Jeff Richards
PTCO
Jerry Thixton
Jim Frenchik
Judy Cass
Katie Jacobazze
Leah Hirschy
Liethia Whited
Linda Lloyd
Mary Alice Moon
Matt Krueger
Nancy Hardwick

Nancy Thomas
Pamela Haring
Pamela Lewis
Peggy Baldrige
Renee Berry
Rita Mowl
Robert Acquafredda
Robert Wilson
Scotty Zwicker
Sharon Baker
Sharon Kotnik
Tiba Walter
Yvonne Catt

Used hearing aids wanted

by Linda Charlebois and Deb Liebrich

The audiologists, Linda Charlebois and Deb Liebrich, would be happy to accept any hearing aids that staff or students are no longer wearing. They would be used to supplement the ISD loaner aid stock.

If you have any hearing aids that you could donate, please contact them at ext. 347.

We'll miss you, Gerald Boltz!

by Bethann Wright

Please join the dietary staff in wishing Gerald Boltz a happy retirement. A party will be held in Brown Cafeteria from 2:00 to 3:30 on Gerald's last day, Thursday April 23.

Monetary donations for Gerald's retirement will be accepted through Wednesday, April 22. Please see Bethann Wright in Brown Cafeteria if you would like to make a contribution.

Assistive Technology workshop for public school teachers to be held April 22

by Cindy Lawrence

The Department of Education's PATINS (Partnerships for Assistive Technology in Indiana Schools) Project is sponsoring a workshop at ISD on April 22, 1998, for all teachers, speech therapists, special education directors, and other interested personnel who work with Deaf and Hard of Hearing children. The workshop will take place at the Elizabeth Willard Assessment Center and will feature presentations and discussion groups with various Deaf and hearing ISD staff members. We will also have a display of assistive devices and plan to incorporate demonstrations of technology use from all over campus. The workshop will wrap up with an opportunity for participants to present questions or case studies of their current students. We hope to continue the dialogue between public school staff and ISD staff in an effort to assist all Deaf and Hard of Hearing students in Indiana.

According to the Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA), which was recently reauthorized, assistive technology is being increasingly emphasized in the educational programming of students. Assistive technology covers a wide range of equipment and services to improve a student's ability to learn, complete work, and interact with others. All decisions regarding assistive technology devices and services are to be made on a case-by-case basis and be a part of a child's IEP.

We are very please and honored to be able to work with PATINS in providing this popular workshop. As of March 23rd, over 45 individuals have registered for the workshop. Please help us welcome those participants on April 22nd. We are planning to provide a tour of campus to all interested participants.

How do you spend your time?

Author Unknown

Imagine there's a bank which credits your account each morning with \$86,400, does not allow you to keep a cash balance, and every evening cancels whatever part of the amount you had failed to use during the day. What would you do? Draw out every cent, of course!

Well, everyone has such a bank. Its name is TIME.

Every morning it credits you with 86,400 seconds.

Every night it writes off as lost whatever you failed to invest to good purpose.

It carries over no balance nor allows no overdraft.

Each day it opens a new account for you. Each night it burns the records of the day.

If you fail to use the day's deposit, the loss is yours.

There is no going back.

There is no drawing against "tomorrow."

You must live in the present on today's deposit.

To realize the value of ONE YEAR, ask a student who has failed his exam.

To realize the value of ONE MONTH, ask a mother who has given birth to a premature baby.

To realize the value of ONE WEEK, ask an editor of a weekly newspaper.

To realize the value of ONE DAY, ask a wage earner who has ten kids to feed.

To realize the value of ONE HOUR, ask the lovers who are waiting to meet.

To realize the value of ONE MINUTE, ask a person who has missed a train.

To realize the value of ONE SECOND, ask a person who has survived an accident.

To realize the value of on milli-second, as the person who has won a silver medal in the Olympics.

Treasure every moment you have!

SUMMER 1998 COURSE OFFERINGS
All courses require a minimum enrollment

Course	#Course Title	Credit	Day	Time	Instructor
JUNE 8 - JUNE 19					
HDI 111 101	Deaf Community	3	MTWRF	8:00A-12:00P	Whiting
HDI 207 101	Deaf Culture	3	MTWRF	1:30P-5:30P	Whiting
JUNE 4 -AUGUST 13					
HEG 249 101	General Linguistics	3	TR	5:15P-7:30P	Staff
JUNE 3 - AUGUST 12					
HEG 250 101	English Grammar	3	MW	5:15P-7:30P	Staff

FALL 1998 COURSE OFFERINGS
August 24 - December 19

All courses require a minimum enrollment

Course	#Course Title	Credit	Day	Time	Instructor
HDI 101 101	ASL I	5	TR	6:00P-8:30P	J. McBroom
HDI 101 102	ASL I	5	TR	5:00P-7:30P	Pfaff
HDI 101 103	ASL I	5	MW	9:00A-11:30A	Staff
HDI 103 101	ASL II	5	MW	5:00P-7:30P	Staff
HDI 103 102	ASL II	5	MW	5:30P-8:00P	Pfaff
HDI 103 103	ASL II	5	TR	9:00A-11:30A	Whiting
HDI 201 101	ASL III	5	TR	5:00P-7:30P	Whiting
HDI 203 101	ASL IV	5	MW	5:00P-7:30P	Whiting
ASO 151 101	Sociology	3	M	7:00P-10:00P	Staff
ASO 154 101	Cultural Anthropology	3	TR	5:00P-6:20P	Staff
HDI 111 101	Deaf Community	3	F	9:00A-12:00P	Reifel
HDI 111 102	Deaf Community	3	SA	9:00A-12:00P	Reifel
HDI 209 101	Lang. & Cultures in Contact	2	TR	5:15P-6:05P	J. Reynolds
HEG 249 101	General Linguistics	3	MW	6:30P-7:45P	Staff
HEG 250 101	English Grammar	3	MW	5:00P-6:15P	Staff
HSS 143 101	Speech	3	TR	7:30P-8:50P	L. Ulen

AT&T update

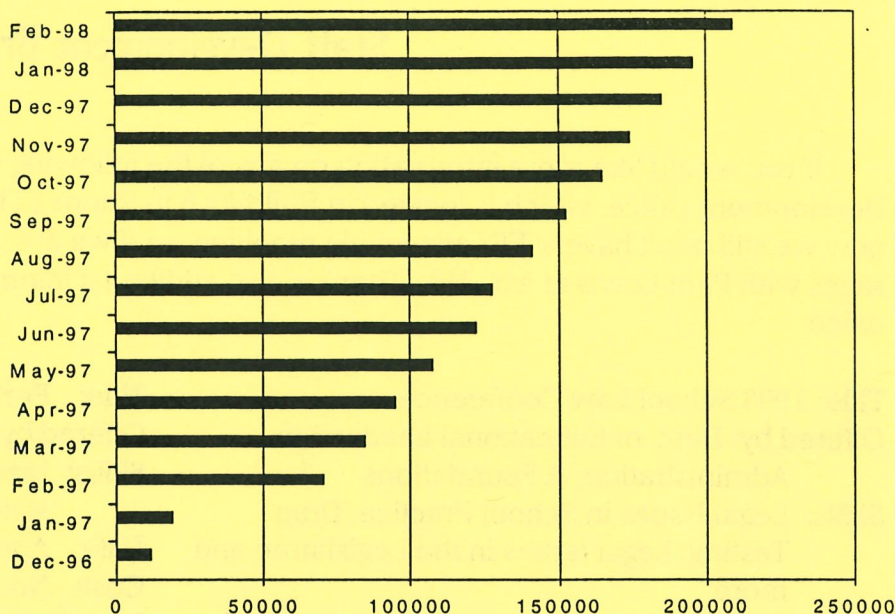
by Jim Frenchlik

ISD is making good progress in the AT&T Learning Points program. We have consistently been earning approximately 10,000 points per month, and we are now looking at computer products to "buy" with the points that we have.

We are also pleased to report that the number of AT&T long distance customers who donate their points to ISD is gradually increasing. In the past month we have added two more supporters.

Along that same line, we have been informed that AT&T will add 350 bonus points for each new subscriber through May 31, 1998. I know that we have asked this before, but if you know anyone who uses AT&T as their long distance company, ask them to *please* donate their long distance points to ISD. All you have to do is to call AT&T's toll-free number, 1-800-354-8800, and tell them that you would like to give your support to the Indiana School for the Deaf. Our school ID number is 01894163.

Remember, supporting our school adds NOTHING to your long distance bill. After enrolling, there is nothing else for you to do. AT&T simply calculates the number of points to award to ISD based on the amount you paid that month for long distance calls.



Join the festivities at the ICRID Spring Retreat

by Mandy Mueller

The Indiana Chapter of the Registry of Interpreters for the Deaf (ICRID) will be holding their Annual Spring Retreat on Friday, March 27, and Saturday, March 28, on the ISD campus. The Retreat will open Friday night at 7 p.m. with an exciting show by Sign Players Unlimited, a bilingual theatre company from Michigan. They will be

performing a piece called "The ASL Literary Club." There is no fee for the performance, but donations will be accepted at the door.

On Saturday, workshops taught by many Deaf community members will be offered (including Ann Reifel, Bea Pfaff, Rob Loveless, Sharon Wooten, Malcolm Peters, and David

Cowan!). In addition, a workshop for interpreters will be conducted by Marta Belsky and former ISD teacher Brenda Cartwright.

Come join us for an exciting weekend of ASL and fun! For more information, see Mandy Mueller in Alumni Hall, Room 225 or call her at 920-6382!

Staff Development Briefs

by Mary Alice Moon

If you would like more information on any of the following workshops you may contact the Staff Development Office, which is located in Building 6 in Room 223. Our phone number is ext. 414. Right now we still don't have a TTY answering machine, so if we are out of the office, please leave TTY messages with Pam Lewis at ext. 419. There is also additional information on the bulletin board outside the office.

Title: 1998 School Law Conference
Offered by: Dept. of Educational Leadership,
Administration, & Foundations
Skills: Legal Issues in School Practice, Drug
Testing, Legal Issues in the Legislature and
more
Date: April 17 (registration deadline is April 10)
Cost: \$50
Location: Indiana State University

Title: The Exceptional Assistant
Offered by: Fred Pryor Seminars
Skills: How to achieve respect as an indispens-
able secretary
Date: June 15, 1998
Cost: \$89
Location: Best Western Waterfront Plaza

Title: Excellent Customer Service
Offered by: SkillPath Seminars
Skills: How to handle problems and complaints
while projecting a professional image
Date: April 17, 1998
Cost: \$79
Location: Raddison Plaza

Title: First Things First
Offered by: SkillPath
Skills: How to close the gap between what's really
important to you and what you actually do
Date: April 13, 1998
Cost: \$195
Location: Hyatt Regency

Title: Performance Appraisal
Offered by: State Training
Skills: How to evaluate your employees using the
state system
Date: April 30, 1998
Cost: No Cost
Location: State Training Center

Title: Presentation Skills
Offered by: State Training
Skills: How to make effective presentations
Date: May 11, 1998
Cost: \$50
Location: State Training Center

Title: Progressive Discipline
Offered by: State Training
Skills: How to correct your employees using the
state system
Date: May 26, 1998
Cost: No Cost
Location: State Training Center

Title: Pre-Retirement Planning
Offered by: State Training
Skills: How to make good decisions regarding
your retirement
Date: May 26, 1998
Cost: No Cost
Location: State Training Center